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His advance agent having failed in the proposed revival of autocracy, the ex-kaiser will rest his head easily for another spell.

American "tourists" are said to have spent \$35,000,000 in the Province of Quebec during the past summer. Apparently the name "tourist" is a misnomer; they should be called one-night trippers.

A Boston concern has just paid \$1,850 in fines for conspiracy to transport and sell 15 cases of eggs unfit for food. Now if the offenders should be forced to become targets for the 15 cases of eggs the punishment would be complete.

One result of the use of the American soldiers in Europe during the World war was the decision, just now, by the French government to substitute khaki for the traditional horizon blue of the French army uniform. However, the blue will not be obsolete until the present supply of the army is exhausted.

The increasing membership of the Society of United States Mail Bandits will have some spicy reminiscences to pass down to their descendants even though the loot may be all used up in the fashion of quick riches. Requisites for membership in this Society of United States Mail Bandits are plenty of nerve and a total disregard for human life.

A root and herb doctor of Delta, Ohio, who had an abhorrence of banks, kept \$25,000 in his pocket and was robbed of the money by four bandits. A marked demonstration of the saying that money is the root of all evil, and, incidentally, that while depositors in banks may lose now and then, their number is small compared with those who do their own banking.

Representative Blanton's apology to the House, following his official censure by Speaker Gillett, ought to end the incident, providing, of course, Blanton steers a course away from such actions as causing very objectionable matter to be printed in the Congressional Record. Blanton has been more or less a thorn in the side of Congress for some time; even his party colleagues have not been satisfied with some of his tactics.

"The ladies cleared about \$110 at their chicken-pie supper last week," says a small town item in a Vermont newspaper. The size of the net gain demonstrates anew that as a going concern there is nothing to beat a chicken-pie supper as a money-maker. The supper in question was given in a small community of a few hundred people and probably the profits were larger than at the mercantile establishments there had for a week. A chicken-pie supper is its own best friend.

Rats gnawing the insulation off electric wires are held to have been responsible for a \$65,000 fire at Lynn, Mass.; rats attacked three sleeping children at Brockton, Mass., lacerating and tearing the faces of the infants; rats are known to be disease spreaders. The indictments against the rodents are piling up steadily; rats are firebugs, man-eaters and menaces to public health, besides other things that are not desirable. Therefore, swat the rats; trap the rats; poison the rats; do anything to get rid of a real pest of the human race.

Something novel in the line of advertising is a plea in the Randolph Herald and News to "the ones who stole my turkeys Sunday night" to return the fowls to their owner in Braintree, a woman who describes herself as a "poor old woman" who is "alone and defenseless" and who "has gone without food, wood to burn and clothes to keep the warm and shoes for my feet" in order to raise the turkeys. If the thieves have a bit of the milk of human kindness in their poor carcasses they surely will return the old lady's turkeys, or send the money equivalent. There was a rotten, cowardly deed.

The little football David, Centre college, smote the Goliath hard, and Harvard went down with a blow between the eyes. This was when a small college like Centre would have looked upon it as absolutely impossible to land a victory over a college with such football prestige as Harvard has; but the sport has been revolutionized during the past decade, largely because of the fact that the small colleges have hired as capable coaches as the big colleges were wont to have exclusively in former years. Given a capable, resourceful coach, a small college is able to turn out a very creditable team and sometimes it is able to overthrow tradition just as Centre did in the Harvard stadium last Saturday. Good coaching is the secret of the small colleges' better showing in modern football, and it matters not whether the coaches have two hundred men or two thousand to draw upon for material. The small colleges have been rather slow to realize their potentialities in spite of their small number of students but they are coming into their own.

THE WELCOME TO FOCH.

The welcome which the government and the people of the United States extend to Marshal Foch, leader of the anti-German forces in the World war, is sincere and straight from the heart. There will be many frills and lighter things in connection with the reception to the great tactician but underneath those things will be the strong current of cordiality, even love. The American people have come to possess the highest respect for Foch as a soldier and as a man. His conduct on the field of battle from the first Marne to the last Marne stamped him as one of the greatest military figures of all time. It was he, during the first Marne battle, who turned the tide of battle in favor of the hard-driven French by giving the command to attack even though his center and one wing had given way before the enemy. It was that command and that success then attained which stopped the German march on Paris in 1914. From that time Foch did not attain marked prominence in the progress of the war until, by most fortunate decision, the allies chose him for generalissimo, the directing head of all the allied forces on the field. When this equipped with supreme authority and when backed by the vast forces of the allies, not to forget the million of Americans ready for the word, Foch displayed the master mind capable of circumventing the Germans in their great specialty of waging war. That master mind put into operation the splendid plans decided upon after a lifetime of study of war problems in general and of this territory in particular. The result, as the whole world knows, was a complete triumph for the allies and the humiliation of the once proud German empire. Foch did that. For it the world stands ready to grant appreciation. And then, after the war, after attaining such prominence, Foch became the citizen, the modest recipient of the praise of the whole allied world, a man who showed that he could take the plaudits with the same nonchalance as he had received the blows of the enemy. His attitude betokened the real man. Therefore, on the occasion of his visit

to the United States, the government and the people alike join in giving him a welcome of real cordiality. May his visit be something to demonstrate how much the American people feel for him.

CURRENT COMMENT

One Thing That's Working.
Speaking of the unemployed, the editor has begun to work anyway.—Brattleboro Reformer.Who Made Up the Story?
The Morrisville Messenger emphatically denies the story originating in that town and published in various state newspapers, telling of the death of a motion picture operator from a shock received from the machine. It says nothing of the sort happened. As a matter of fact, picture men say nothing of the sort could happen. Now, who is responsible for the deliberate fake?—Rutland Herald.The "Road Hog" Terror.
The frequency of automobile accidents demonstrates the inadequacy of the methods at present employed to check speeding or reckless driving. In West Brookfield on Thursday a motor car was forced into the ditch by a "road hog" and a woman probably fatally injured. Yet a campaign against "road hogs," "speeders" and habitually reckless drivers would be fully as easy to undertake as the campaign to enforce the technical requirements of the new headlight rule. That is, in its way, a useful thing, from which motorists themselves will derive most benefit. But a systematic movement to eliminate drivers who misuse the roads would benefit the whole public as well as a majority of automobile owners. If use of highways in the motor age cannot be controlled so as to become relatively as safe as in the days of the horse-drawn vehicle, civilization will prove itself incompetent to regulate its own machinery.—Springfield Republican.

FREE

With every pair of Boys' or Girls' School Shoes at \$2.50 or over, or with every Boys' Suit or Overcoat we will give a pair of adjustable Stilt (like cut). See them in our windows.

Rogers Walkover Boot Shop
F. H. Rogers & Co.

Park Theatre

MONDAY

Wallace Reid

In His Greatest and Fastest Production

"TOO MUCH SPEED"

One more thrilling, rollicking reason why Wallace Reid is the screen's most popular actor!

A romance of race track, love and business. Roaring with daredevil-driven speed cars! Tingling with rivalry, trickery, danger! Strewing a thousand smiles on the road to happiness! A picture that starts the heart to thumping and gives old Father Time the laugh.

Also in the cast are Agnes Ayers and Theodore Roberts.

Also

"Nothing Like It"

Educational two-act comedy and

"The Latest International News Weekly"

TUESDAY

Robertson-Cole Presents

William Christy Cabanne's Leaf from a Woman's Soul

"What's a Wife Worth?"

A story of the unfathomed soul of the woman which goes down unafraid into the valley of death.

Do you believe that men get and forget?

Woman gives and forgives?

A living, breathing picture of great truths.

Also

"Robinson Crusoe"

Educational two-act comedy and

Outing Chester



Peerless Union Suits

Made in Barre

We have the complete line, prices \$1.50 to \$8.50 each.

Sleeve and leg length, as you wish. Come in and let us show you.

Wear Peerless-made and help our home industry.

F. H. Rogers & Company

Capital Savings Bank and Trust Co.

Montpelier, Vt.

Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits, \$220,000

Pays

4 P. C. on Savings Deposits

2 P. C. on Commercial Deposits

All taxes paid by bank.

Depository of City of Montpelier and State of Vermont

TRUSTEES
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TEN TO THIRTY YEARS

Is the period of your real business activity. In that time, you will make good and have some of the things that make life worth while, or, on poor pay and small income, you will have a hard time to get a living and pay your bills. Perhaps you are wasting time. Try our

Day, Evening and Home Study.

MONTPELIER BUSINESS SCHOOL
IRA RICHARDSON, PRIN.
Phone 517-M; 48-M.ELIZABETH N. BUGBEE
94 MAIN STREET
Opposite 5 and 100 Store, Upstairs.

Millinery Parlors

Just received to-day a nice selection of the latest styles of Duvetines, Felts and Brocaded Velvet Hats at reasonable prices.

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IN mathematics stands for an "unknown quantity".

Our advice to you if you want to succeed in business is, Don't let

bank co-operation be an unknown quantity to you. Build up your balance and credit at the bank and it will always stand you in good stead when you need advice and assistance in your business.

This is the testimony of every successful man.

The Peoples National Bank

Barre of Vermont

4%—National Bank Protection for your Savings—4%



Oxfords are the thing

Right through the Fall months we're going to be kept busy fitting these "honestly made" Oxfords to young men and women who keep up with what's being worn in footwear and it's Oxfords above everything else for Fall.

"Honestly Made" means styles that are new and have the well-dressed look, leathers that you can depend upon through and through, workmanship that assures careful finishing and above all, comfort based on a sensible last.

\$5.00 to \$10.00

Rogers' Walk-Over Boot Shop

Stop and Look

A brightly lighted store window commands every passer-by to Stop and Look—it draws trade. Westinghouse Mazda Daylight Lamps provide brilliant light and daylight color effects. All sizes in stock.

Barre Electric Co.

Telephone 98

Montpelier Electric Co.

Tel. 26

"For Your Electric Wants"

ADVERTISE IN THE BARRE TIMES

Join Our Christmas Grafonola Club

TODAY

You pay \$3.50 a week until Christmas. We deliver the machine Christmas morning. You keep on paying until machine is paid for.

The Red Cross Pharmacy

A Good Introduction

A Bank Account establishes a claim for reciprocity if the depositor is financially responsible and entitles him to consideration when he needs to borrow.

Make the Quarry Savings Bank & Trust Company your depository by starting a Checking Account.

Quarry Savings Bank and Trust Co.

Barre, Vermont

DIRECTORS:

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Vermont Mutual Fire Insurance Company

of Montpelier, Vt.

NINETEEN-FOURTH YEAR

Premium Notes in Force.....\$12,282,751.00

Cash Assets.....\$300,000.00

Insurance in Force.....\$123,121,771.00

Policies written under Mutual or Paid-Up Plan at actual cost—no profit

Consider this fact when placing your Automobile Fire Insurance

If you are seeking Insurance, see our Local Agent

McAllister & Kent

Agents for Barre, Berlin and Orange

With Its Immense Resources

the Federal Reserve System is a bulwark of strength to the member banks and people, and it is ready to assist them in legitimate financial requirements.

The First National Bank, which is a member of the Federal Reserve System cordially invites your account and banking business.

The First National Bank

MONTPELIER, VT.



You cannot have "Plenty of Money" in the Future unless you bank your Money NOW

When you are young and vigorous, and making money is the best time to put as much as you can spare in the bank REGULARLY.

Time flies quickly and the reward of your economy and thrift is years of happiness and a comfortable old age.

Begin now—Come in and open an account in our Bank, and make a practice of regularly adding to your balance.

We will welcome you.

GRANITE SAVINGS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

DEPOSITORY OF THE CITY OF BARRE

DIRECTORS

John Trow, Will A. Whitcomb, Frank F. Cave,
James T. Marrison, J. Ward Carver, Chas. H. Wishart.

This is the Time to Get New Bedding

At your housecleaning—when you go through all your house—discarding your worn out things, when you come to your bedroom—Stop! Look at your mattress and pillows. Are they full, soft and firm. Have you been getting sweet, restful sleep every night lately?

Or have they flattened out—lost their resilience, softness and fullness? If so, you've only been getting half as much rest out of your sleep as you should.

And We Have the Bedding to Change to

Pillows, filled with fine NEW WASHED feathers, generously filled with soft, downy comfort, securely sewn, dainty in pattern and so comfortable you just KNOW you're going to get a full, 60-minute rest out of every hour you sleep on them—every one a genuine RED CROSS.

Mattresses, handsomely made of Kapok—nature's wonder-fibre, brought from the Far East, because it is unexcelled for mattresses—being lighter and more resilient and secure against "matting" than any other fibre; every one marked RED CROSS.

A. W. Badger & Co.

Undertakers and Licensed Embalmers: Personal Attention to This Work—Tel. 47-W
A NEW AND UP-TO-DATE AUTO AMBULANCE